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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. 200-66400 (2003-00944)

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Title System and Method of Delivering Operating Power and Power Source Status Signals Over a Single Pair of Wires

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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- Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
- Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
- Specification Total Pages 20
 - Descriptive title of the invention
 - Cross Reference to Related Applications
 - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
 - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
 - Background of the Invention
 - Brief Summary of the Invention
 - Brief Description of the Drawings (*if filed*)
 - Detailed Description
 - Claim(s)
 - Abstract of the Disclosure
- Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) Total Sheets 2
- Oath or Declaration Total Sheets 2
 - Newly executed (original or copy)
 - Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
 - i. DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
- Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

7. CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (*Appendix*)
8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (*if applicable, all necessary*)
 - a. Computer Readable Form (CRF)
 - b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
 - i. CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
 - ii. paper
 - c. Statements verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement Power of Attorney
(when there is an assignee)
11. English Translation Document (*if applicable*)
12. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Copies of IDS Citations
13. Preliminary Amendment
14. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
(Should be specifically itemized)
15. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)
16. Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i).
Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.
17. Other: _____

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

 Continuation Divisional Continuation-in-part (CIP)

of prior application No.: _____

Prior application information:

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FEE TRANSMITTAL

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

2. Payment Enclosed:

Check Money Order Other

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

LARGE ENTITY

SMALL ENTITY

Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1001	770	2001	385	Utility	770
1002	340	2002	170	Design	
1003	530	2003	265	Plant	
1004	770	2004	385	Reissue	
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional	
SUBTOTAL (1)					770

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	20 - 20 **	= 0	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Independent	3 - 3	= 0		x 18	= \$ 0
Multiple Dep.		*		x 86	= \$ 0

** or number previously paid, if greater; for Reissues, see below:

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description
1202	18	Claim in excess of 20
1201	86	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	290	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	84	** Reissue ind. claims over original patent
1205	18	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
SUBTOTAL (2)		\$0

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Application Number	New
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First Named Inventor	Richard B. Joerger
Examiner Name	Unknown
Group Art Unit	Unknown
Attorney Document No.	200-66400 (2003-00944)

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. Additional Fees

Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code	Fee	1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath
		1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet
		1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification
		1812	2520	1812	2520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination
		1804	920	1804	920	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action
		1805	1840	1805	1840	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action
		1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month
		1252	420	2252	210	Extension for reply within second month
		1253	950	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month
		1254	1480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month
		1255	2010	2255	1005	Extension for reply within fifth month
		1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal
		1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal
		1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing
		1451	1510	1451	1510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding
		1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive-unavoidable
		1453	1330	2453	665	Petition to revive-unintentional
		1501	1330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)
		1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee
		1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee
		1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner
		1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)
		1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt
		8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)
		1809	770	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))
		1810	770	2810	385	For each additional invention be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))
		1801	770	2801	385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)
		1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application
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**REQUEST AND CERTIFICATION
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35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)**

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Title	System and Method of Delivering Operating Power and Power Source Status Signals Over a Single Pair of Wires
Atty Docket Number	200-66400 (2003-00944)

I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application **has not and will not be** the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing. I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

3-9-04

Date

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This request must be signed in compliance with 37 CFR 1.33(b) and submitted with the application **upon filing**.

Applicant may rescind this nonpublication request at any time. If applicant rescinds a request that an application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b), the application will be scheduled for publication at eighteen months from the earliest claimed filing date for which a benefit is claimed.

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